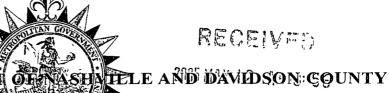
BILL PURCELL MAYOR

METROPOLITAN GOVERNME

KARL F DEAN DIRECTOR OF LAW



T.R.A. DOCKET ROAMMENT OF LAW 204 COURTHOUSE NASHVILLE, FENNESSEE 37201

May 11, 2005

Darlene Standley Chief, Utilities Division Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243-0505

04-00434

Re: Wastewater Forum

Dear Ms. Standley,

In response to your inquiries regarding wastewater utilities in Davidson County, there is no apparatus or system for the bonding of wastewater utilities within the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County. If you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely

Jason M. Bergeron Metropolitan Attorney



Shelby County Government

T.R.A. DOCKET ROOM

A C Wharton, Jr. Mayor

May 10, 2005

04-00434

Ms. Darlene Standley, Chief Utilities Division Tennessee Regulatory Authority 400 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

Dear Ms. Standley,

In response to your letter of April 28, 2005, Shelby County does not require any type of Wastewater Utility Construction or Operation Bond.

If I can be of any further assistance please feel free to contact me at (901) 545-4332.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Oakes, P.E.

County Engineer

Cc: Ted Fox, Public Works Director

A C Wharton, Jr., Mayor